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IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

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In re:

U.S. Application of:

Hiromu MUKAI

For:

IMAGE PICKUP DEVICE

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AMENDMENT

This Amendment is filed in response to the Office Action dated May 8, 2003 which provides for a response period ending August 8, 2003.

Please amend the above-identified application as follows: